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HOME DEPARTMENT
(Prisons & Fire)

AMENDMENTS TO THE ANDHRA PRADESH JAIL SUBORDINATE
SERVICE RULES.

[G.O.Ms.No.174, Home (Prisons & Fire), 25th October, 2023.]

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereunto enabling, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Jail Subordinate Service Rules issued in G.O.Ms.No.514, Home (Prisons.A) Department, dated 23-11-1993 as subsequently amended from time to time :-

AMENDMENTS

1. In Rule 3, after note (d) the following shall be added, namely:-

“Note (e):- The candidate falling under the following categories shall be disqualified for Appointment on the following grounds:-

1. Under Note (a) (i) and b (i) of Rule 3 for the category of Deputy Jailor (Men) by direct recruitment.
2. Under Note (a) (ii) of Rule 3 for the category of Deputy Jailor (Women) by direct recruitment.

3. Under Note (CC) (i) and (ii) of Rule 3 for the category of Warder (Male) by direct recruitment.
4. Under class and category column, in Class –A, (4) (b) of Rule-3 for the category of Warder (Female) by direct recruitment.

Disqualifications for appointment:-

The candidate falling under the above categories shall be disqualified for appointment, under these rules:

- (i) If any document produced by the candidate is fake or forged as established during antecedent verification.
- (ii) If the candidate himself or through his relatives or friends or any other has canvassed or endeavored to enlist extraneous support whether from official or non-official sources for his candidature.
- (iii) A person (a) who has entered into or contracted a marriage with a person having a spouse living, or (b) who, having a spouse living has entered into or contracted a marriage with any other person. Provided that the State Government may, if satisfied that such marriage is permissible under the personal law applicable to such person, exempt any person from the operation of this Rule.
- (iv) A person who has been dismissed from the services of a State or Central Government or from the service of any Central or State Government undertaking or local body or other authority.
- (v) A person who has been convicted for any offence or facing trial in any Court of Law, irrespective of fact whether candidate has suppressed in the application form or attestation form except for offences of technical nature like M.V. Act (Motor Vehicle) violations, J.J. Act (Juvenile Justice) and others. The cases which ended into acquittal or compounded before lok-adalat will not attract disqualification, irrespective of fact whether candidate has suppressed the relevant information in the application form or attestation form.
- (vi) A person who is involved in an offence involving moral turpitude is disqualification for appointment.

2. In rule 3, after note (e) the following shall be added namely,-

Note (f):-

The vacancies reserved for special category (i.e., Children of deceased/working Prison Personnel/Retired Prison Personnel upto the rank of Jailor) referred to Rule-3 under Note (b)(i) to the category of Deputy Jailor (Men) and Rule-3 under Note (cc)(ii) for the category of Warder (Male) shall be adjusted in a horizontal manner on compartmental basis i.e., the Reservation of Special Category candidates shall be adjusted proportionately in the respective communal category to which the candidate belongs to in the following method:-

- (i) If the special category quota could not be fully filled and vacancy is also available in the particular community, then the second higher decimal point will be taken for filling up the said vacancy.
- (ii) If two or more decimal points are same to various community, then candidates final written marks will be taken as criteria (elder person will be selected)".

3. For rule 12, the following shall be substituted, namely, -

(a) DEPUTY JAILORS (MEN) & WARDERS (MALE):

Physical Measurements:

The candidates should meet the following requirements:

- (i) Height: Must not be less than 167.6 Centimeters.
- (ii) Chest: Must not be less than 86.3 Centimeters round the chest on full inspiration with a minimum expansion of 5 Centimeters.

NOTE: However, the candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes and Aboriginal Tribes in the Agency areas of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari and West Godavari Districts should meet the following requirements:

- (i) Height: Must not be less than 160 Centimeters.
- (ii) Chest: Must not be less than 80 Centimeters round the chest on full inspiration with a minimum expansion of 3 Centimeters.

(b) DEPUTY JAILORS (Women) (Previously known as Asst. Matron) & WARDERS (FEMALE):

Physical Measurements: The candidates should meet the following requirements:

- (i). Height: Must not be less than 152.5 centimeters.
- (ii). Weight: Must not be less than 40 Kgs.

NOTE: However, the candidates belonging to Scheduled Tribes and Aboriginal Tribes in the Agency areas of Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam, East Godavari and West Godavari Districts should meet the following requirements:

- (i). Height: Must not be less than 150 centimeters.
- (ii). Weight: Must not be less than 38 Kgs."

4. After rule 12, the following shall be added, namely,-

Rule 12(A), Selection of candidates and Recruitment Procedure:-

(1) DEPUTY JAILOR (MEN) :

(i) **Preliminary Written Test:** Candidates shall be required to appear for the Preliminary Written Test in two papers (each three hours duration) which will be qualifying, as given below. The syllabus for Preliminary Written Test will be from Paper III and IV of Annexure-II respectively.

Paper (1)	Subject (2)	Max. Marks (3)
Paper-I	Arithmetic and Test of Reasoning / Mental Ability (100 Questions) (Objective type)	100
Paper-II	General Studies (100 Questions) (Objective type)	100

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the Preliminary Written Test in both the papers is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex-Servicemen. If a candidate fails to secure qualifying marks even in one paper he will still be disqualified. Total marks for these two papers will not be counted for the purpose of qualification.

(2) Questions in the Paper-I and II will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.

(3) Marks obtained in preliminary written test will have no relevance in the final selection which will be based only on the marks obtained in the final examination (written examination).

(ii) **Physical Efficiency Test:** Candidates declared qualified as above shall be required to undergo the following tests and qualify as specified below:

The candidates must qualify in 1600 Meters run (1 Mile Run) and one out of remaining two events as detailed below:

Sl. No. (1)	Item (2)	Qualifying Time / Distance	
		General (3)	Ex. Service Men (4)
01	100 meters run	15 Seconds	16.5 Seconds
02	Long jump	3.80 mtrs.	3.65 mtrs.
03	1600 meters run	8 Minutes	9 Minutes 30 Sc.

NOTE: Physical Efficiency Test will be qualifying in nature.

(iii) **Final Written Examination:-** Final written examination Paper- I & II are qualifying in nature and Paper-III consisting of 200 marks and Paper-IV consisting of 200 marks, total 400 marks will be taken into account for final selection.

- (iv) **Selection:-** The final selection of the candidates will be made strictly on relative merit, as obtained by them based on their score in the final written examination for 400 marks (Papers III & IV) and as per the provisions of "The Andhra Pradesh Public employment (Organisation of Local Cadres and Regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 1975" the rule of reservation to local candidates is not applicable.

(2) DEPUTY JAILOR (WOMEN) (Previously known as Assistant Matron) :

1. **Preliminary Written Test:** Candidates shall be required to appear for the Preliminary Written Test in two papers (each three hours duration) which will be qualifying, as given below. The syllabus for Preliminary Written Test will be from Paper III and IV of Annexure-II respectively.

Paper (1)	Subject (2)	Max. Marks (3)
Paper-I	Arithmetic and Test of Reasoning / Mental Ability (100 Questions) (Objective type)	100
Paper-II	General Studies (100 Questions) (Objective type)	100

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the Preliminary Written Test in both the papers is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex-Servicemen. If a candidate fails to secure qualifying marks even in one paper he will still be disqualified. Total marks for these two papers will not be counted for the purpose of qualification.

(2) Questions in Paper-I and II will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.

(3) Marks obtained in preliminary written test will have no relevance in the final selection which will be based only on the marks obtained in the final examination (written examination).

2. **Physical Efficiency Test:** Candidates declared qualified as above shall be required to undergo the following tests and qualify as specified below:

The candidates must qualify in 1600 Meters run (1 Mile Run) and one out of remaining two events as detailed below:

Sl. No. (1)	Item (2)	Qualifying Time / Distance (3)
01	100 meters run	18 Seconds
02	Long jump	2.75 Mtrs.
03	1600 meters run	10 Minutes 30 Sec.

NOTE: Physical Efficiency Test will be qualifying in nature.

- (iii) **Final Written Examination:-** Final written examination Paper- I & II are qualifying in nature and Paper-III consisting of 200 marks and Paper-IV consisting of 200 marks, total 400 marks will be taken into account for final selection.
- (iv) **Selection:-** The final selection of the candidates will be made strictly on relative merit, as obtained by them based on their score in the final written examination for 400 marks (Papers III & IV) and as per the provisions of "The Andhra Pradesh Public employment (Organisation of Local Cadres and Regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 1975" the rule of reservation to local candidates is not applicable.

(3) WARDER (MALE) :

- (i) **Preliminary Written Test:** Candidates shall be required to appear for the Preliminary Written Test in one paper (three hours duration) for 200 marks (200 Questions). The syllabus is given in Annexure III.

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the Preliminary Written Test in the paper is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex-Servicemen.

- (2) Questions in written examination will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.
- (3) Marks obtained in preliminary written test will have no relevance in the final selection which will be based only on the marks obtained in final examination (written examination).

3. **Physical Efficiency Test:** Candidates declared qualified as above shall be required to undergo the following tests and qualify as specified below:

The candidates must qualify in 1600 Meters run (1 Mile Run) and one out of remaining two events as detailed below:

Sl. No. (1)	Item (2)	Qualifying Time / Distance		
		General (3)	Ex. Service (4)	Men
01	100 meters run	15 Seconds	16.5 Seconds	
02	Long jump	3.80 mtrs.	3.65 mtrs.	
03	1600 meters run	8 Minutes	9 Minutes 30 Sc.	

NOTE: Physical Efficiency Test will be qualifying in nature.

(iii) **Final Written Examination:** Candidates who qualify in the above shall be required to appear for the final written examination in one paper (three hours duration) for 200 marks. The syllabus is given in Annexure III.

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the final written examination in the paper is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex- Servicemen.

(2) Questions in written examination will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.

4. **Selection:** The final selection of the candidates will be made strictly on relative merit, as obtained by them based on their score in the final written examination for 200 marks for the candidates who qualified in Physical Efficiency Test and as per the provisions of "The Andhra Pradesh Public Employment (Organization of Local Cadres and Regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 1975" the rule of reservation to local candidates is not applicable.

(4) WARDER (FEMALE):

(i) **Preliminary Written Test:** Candidates shall be required to appear for the Preliminary Written Test in one paper (three hours duration) for 200 marks (200 Questions). The syllabus is given in Annexure III.

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the Preliminary Written Test in the paper is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex-Servicemen.

(2) Questions in written examination will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.

(3) Marks obtained in preliminary written test will have no relevance in the final selection which will be based only on the marks obtained in final examination (written examination).

(ii) **Physical Efficiency Test:** Candidates declared qualified as above shall be required to undergo the following tests and qualify as specified below:

The candidates must qualify in 1600 Meters run (1 Mile Run) and one out of remaining two events as detailed below:

Sl. No. (1)	Item (2)	Qualifying Time / Distance (3)
01	100 meters run	18 Seconds
02	Long jump	2.75 Mtrs.
03	1600 meters run	10 Minutes 30 Sec.

NOTE: Physical Efficiency Test will be qualifying in nature.

(iii) Final Written Examination: Candidates who qualify in the above shall be required to appear for the final written examination in one paper (three hours duration) for 200 marks. The syllabus is given in Annexure- III.

NOTE: (1) The minimum marks to be secured by the candidates in order to qualify in the final written examination in the paper is 40% for OCs, 35% for BCs, 30% for SCs/STs/Ex- Servicemen.

(2) Questions in written examination will be objective in nature and will be set in English, Telugu and Urdu languages. Candidates have to answer the questions on an OMR answer sheet using Blue / Black Ball Point pen only. For this purpose, candidates should bring Blue / Black Ball Point pens along with them.

(iv) Selection: The final selection of the candidates will be made strictly on relative merit, as obtained by them based on their score in the final written examination for 200 marks for the candidates who qualified in Physical Efficiency Test and as per the provisions of "The Andhra Pradesh Public Employment (Organization of Local Cadres and Regulation of Direct Recruitment) Order, 1975" the rule of reservation to local candidates is not applicable.

The Director General of Prisons and Correctional Services, Andhra Pradesh, Mangalagiri shall take necessary action accordingly.

HARISH KUMAR GUPTA,
Principal Secretary to Government.

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